

<b>Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary</b>	<b>Application No.</b> 10/723,182	<b>Applicant(s)</b> WATANABE ET AL.	
	<b>Examiner</b> Holly Rickman	<b>Art Unit</b> 1773	

**All Participants:**

(1) Holly Rickman.

(2) Lyle Kimms.

**Status of Application:** \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Interview:** 10 November 2005

**Time:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Type of Interview:**

- ☒ Telephonic  
☐ Video Conference  
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

**Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated:** ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

**Part I.**

**Rejection(s) discussed:**

*none*

**Claims discussed:**

*13-15*

**Prior art documents discussed:**

*none*

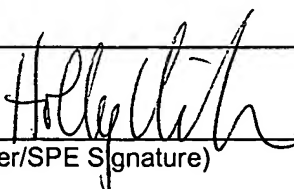
**Part II.**

**SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:**

*Exr indicated that claims 14-15 would be rejoined and allowed with elected article claims 1-12. Mr. Kimms agreed to an examiner's amendment to claim 14 to correct a minor informality and to the cancellation of claim 13*

**Part III.**

- ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.  
☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

  
 (Examiner/SPE Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
 (Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)